



Doris Joan VanWyk

September 2, 1934 - September 20, 2019

Doris Van Wyk, 85, of Oskaloosa passed away Friday morning, September 20, 2019, at the Mahaska Health Hospice Serenity House in Oskaloosa.

Doris Joan Van Wyk, daughter of Cordia and Margaret (Iverson) Wilkinson, was born September 2, 1934, at the rural home of her parents near Chelsea, Iowa. She was a 1952 graduate of Grinnell High School.

Doris worked for Van Zee Motors for 14 years as a bookkeeper. She worked as a bookkeeper for Solar Fence as well. She went on to work as a dispatcher at Circle B Transportation and retired from Iowa Workforce Development in 2002.

Doris married Ronald J. Van Wyk, January 1, 1971, in Oskaloosa. Together they enjoyed camping in many states and from 1992 – 1998; they worked summers at the Wallashuck Recreation area on the north side of Lake Red Rock for the Corp of Engineers. Doris also enjoyed flower gardening and feeding the birds.

Doris' family includes her husband of 48 years, Ron of Oskaloosa; her sons, David Dalbey of Osceola and Randy Dalbey of Surprise, AZ; a daughter, Connie (Dale) Sanders of Beacon; a daughter-in-law, Dawna Dalbey of Libertyville, IA; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Doris was preceded in death by a son, Bobbie Gene Dalbey and two daughters-in-law: Brenda and Diana Dalbey.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Monday, September 23, 2019, at Langkamp Funeral Chapel in Oskaloosa with Pastor Dwayne Poe of the First

Church of the Open Bible officiating. The family will greet visitors from 10 a.m. to service time Monday. Burial will be in Union Mills Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to Stephen Memorial Animal Shelter.

Cemetery Details

Union Mills Cemetery

1430-1400 Parkin Ave
New Sharon, IA 50207

Previous Events

Family Visitation

SEP **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Langkamp Funeral Chapel & Crematory
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Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Joan VanWyk*

October 05, 2023 at 11:57 PM



“ *This really dates me as I remember Doris from back in the sixties when I was in grade school at Lincoln! Has many of good time over there playing with David and Bobbie! I remember the big hunting dog and the huge rabbits! My parents rented her house in Grinnell years later! Even after she remarried we stopped by the house and visited her! She was at my Mom and Dad's funerals! I livelong friend! May she rest in peace! Ken Brown Rapid City SD*

Ken Brown - October 03, 2019 at 12:15 PM



“ *Ronnie and I are sad to hear about Dori passing. Thinking about all of you at this time.
Ronnie has many memories of living by you in Beacon and going out to supper with you guys.
Ron and Connie Lanphier*

Ron and Connie Lanphier - September 23, 2019 at 08:32 AM



“ *We are saddened to hear of the passing of Doris. So many memories come flooding back. Childhood sleep overs, Randy's mini bike, playing on the tracks behind the house. Becoming neighbors as adults and gardening with her...My heart aches. Hugs to all. God Bless.
Karen and Jim Reeves*

Karen Reeves - September 23, 2019 at 05:47 AM

GR

“ *Gina Russell lit a candle in memory of Doris Joan VanWyk*



Gina Russell - September 22, 2019 at 04:28 PM

KW

“ *So sorry for your loss she was a very dear friend for many years. When Chuck and I moved away, we always kept in touch and I will miss her dearly.*

Kay Whitsel - September 21, 2019 at 07:40 PM

JF

So sorry for your loss. Ron, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Jill and Jeff Ferguson

Jill Ferguson - September 22, 2019 at 09:18 AM

MB

So sorry for your loss thoughts and prayers sent to you.

Marcie Brinekool - September 23, 2019 at 04:04 PM

JK

Our sympathy to you Ron, and the family. Such a good neighbor to us when we lived in the neighborhood.

Joyce and Darrell Klein

Joyce Klein - September 23, 2019 at 07:31 PM

SH

“ *So sorry for your loss,, she was a good friend and have known her for many years,, God bless 🙏 her 🙏*

Shirley Hunt - September 21, 2019 at 06:00 PM